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Title: ANASTOMOSIS SYTEM AND METHOD

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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- 1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)
- 2. x Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27
- 3. X Specification

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- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- StatementRegarding Fed sponsored R&D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure
- 4. x Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 21]
- [Total Pages 3] 5. x Oath or Declaration
 - a. x Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

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| | Computer Program (Appendix) | | | |

- 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (If applicable, all necessary)
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- Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- 10. __ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement __ Power of (when there is an assignee) Attorney
- _ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- _ Information Disclosure X Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations 12. X Information Disclosure
 - Preliminary Amendment
- 14. X Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
- 15. __ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (If foreign priority is claimed)
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- 17. X Other: Fee Calc. Sheet (2 pg)

| 6. | Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 | |
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